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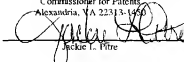
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PROCESSING OF A COAL
FORMATION TO INCREASE
PERMEABILITY/POROSITY
OF THE FORMATION

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A request for continued examination is being sent as an accompanying document. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 26 of this paper.